A. R. Harwood's Trip Account

(Continued from Page 1)

and saw Mrs. McCain and their oldest daughter. Adfield cautioned us if we left before he got up to leave the towels and bedding, as some West Virginia crooad stripped one his cabins the night before.

Our next stop was Columbus, Georgia where we lost nearly half a day for some minor car repairs. We spent our last night in Macon, Georgia.

We had visited and crossed 13 states including Virginia, and made a short trip into Mexico. Wednesday, January 17, we drove 521 miles and reached home about night.

This ends my story and if I get money enough from writing this traveling to take another trip I will try again. Right many have said they enjoyed my articles and I am truly glad. I thank Mr. Robinson for his cooperation in printing it.

Sincerely,
A. R. HARWOOD.

THE KICKOFF

(By Barbara Johnson)

Hear ye! Hear ye! The biggest news at A. H. S. this week is that the boys have won two basketball games. We certainly are proud of the boys and Coach Bragg for those victories over Madison Heights and Phillips. Good luck in the tournament, boys!

The Appomattox 4-H Club County Council met February 12 in Mrs. B. G. Anderson's office and elected the following officers for the year: President, Dan Carson

Vice-pres., Kenneth Jamerson

Secretary, treasurer, Celea Jo Coleman

Reporter, Sam Davidson.

Plans were made for an honor club and county council party in April.

We hear the seniors have started having try-outs for their play, which is entitled, "Happy Town, You're Dead." This is be presented April 5.

The Monogram Club will sponsor a vaudeville show Thursday night, March 15 in the school auditorium. There will be a talent show, including dances, solos, and a popularity contest.

In case anybody is interested in the girls basketball team they play at Gretna Thursday night in the Group II, District 4 tournament. Playing in this tournament will be Appomattox, Bedford, Schoolfield, and Gretna. Appomattox will play Bedford in the first game.

We have been asked by the athletic association to thank the citizens of the community who have so generously toward the athletic fund. It will be a great help to all.

That's about all this time, so until next week, keep smiling!

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Spout Spring

Spout Spring, Feb. 27.- Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bates, of Brookneal spent Sunday with Mrs. R. H. Bates. Mr. Lewis B Turner spent the week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ballard and children spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. F. O. Jones.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. F. O. Jones Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Chap Adams and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Jones and son, of Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sears and son, of Lynchburg, and Lewis Bates, of Washington.

Pvt. Alfred E. Jones, who has finished his training at Fort Jackson, S. C., has been sent to the state of Washington. He is home on a seven-day furlough, visiting his mother, Mrs. F. O. Jones.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Russell Woodson is in the hospital, and hope she will soon be at home and out again.

Mr. A. D. Bates, of Columbus, Ohio, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. R. H. Bates.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. William Goodman is better and hope she will soon be out again.

Miss Dorothy Megginson spent Thursday night with Miss Anne Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCann and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Arthur visited in the home of Roy McCann in Rexboro, N. C. over the week-end.

Oakville

Oakville, Feb. 28.- Mrs. C. E. Wilkinson is spending this week with her mother near Vera.

Mrs. T. L. Page visited her son, Samuel L. Page and family last Friday.

We are glad to see that Mr. Otho W. Martin is able to walk out to the store again. We hope that he, and the others around us who have been ill for some time, will continue to improve.

Cpl. Richard E. Smith, of Limestone, Maine, visited his parents last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith spent Sunday with W. E. Smith and family at Appomattox. This was Mr. Smith's 85th birthday.

C. F. Lineman spent last week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleming Martin are now living in the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin. We are glad to have them as our neighbors.

Church News

St. Ann Episcopal Church

Sunday, March 4th

9:45 A. M. Sunday School. J. C. Hudgins, Sup't.

11:00 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon, will be delivered by Mr. Maurice Large, of Farmville, Lay Reader of the Episcopal Church.

New Hope Baptist Church

John P. Leitner, Pastor

Sunday, March 4, 1951

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M. W. D. O'Brien, Sup't.

Worship Service, 11 A. M.

Music Class Wednesday evening, 7:30, Professor Payne, teacher.

W. M. S. meeting at the parsonage Thursday, March 8. Week of Prayer program, 10:30 A. M. W. M. S. program to follow in the afternoon. Covered dish lunch to be served. All ladies invited to attend these meetings.

LIBERTY CHAPEL BAPTIST

John P. Leitner, Pastor

Sunday, March 4, 1951

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M. Sam N. Trevilian, Sup't.

Worship Service, 3 P. M.

Baptist Training Union, 7 P. M. Mrs. Bernard Childers, Director.

Week of Prayer program and Mission Study Class at the church, Wednesday, March 7, 1:00 P. M.

Appomattox Circuit Methodist Churches

SERVICES SUNDAY

HERMON: Worship Service, 10 A. M. The minister's subject for the morning sermon, "Who Touched Me?"

Church School, 11 A. M. L. N. Heinrcall, Superintendent.

MT. COMFORT: Church School 10 A. M. Clarence Moore, Supt.

Worship Service, 11:15 A. M. Pastor speaking on "How To Revive The Church."

Youth Fellowship meets at 7 P. M. for their worship service and business.

The Appomattox Circuit Evangelistic Committee will meet this Thursday, 7:30 P. M. in the home of Mr. Melvin Drinkard, Oakville. All members please be present.

Liberty Baptist Church

Dr. V. B. Sears, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:30 A. M.

Morning Worship, 11 A. M. Dr. V. W. Sears will speak on "The Particular Task."

Training Union, 6:30 P. M.

Evening Service, 7:30. Movie, "In His Name." Dr. Sears' topic: "Look On the Fields."

Memorial Methodist Church

Appomattox, Virginia

R. Carl Maxwell, Minister

9:45 A. M. Sunday School. Claude W. Smith, Superintendent.

11:00 A. M. Morning Worship. Topic: "For This We Pray." Adult Choir.

6:45 P. M. Fellowship Supper of Methodist Youth Fellowship.

7:30 P. M. Evening Worship. Topic: "Answered Prayer." Youth Choir.

7:30 P. M. Wednesday, March 7, the Board of Stewards will meet.

Nursery 11 A. M. Sundays.

A cordial welcome to all.

Home Mission Prayer Service

Home Mission Prayer Services are scheduled at Liberty Baptist Church Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The topic: Our Father. The program:

Monday, 7:30 P. M. Program by Mrs. W. J. LeGrand. Special music by Miss Nancy Scott and Mrs. H. E. Kerr.

Tuesday, 7:30 P. M. Mrs. Parks Hackney will present Home Mission needs and show slides of denominational mission activity.

Wednesday, 7:30. Dr. V. W. Sears will speak on the topic, "And the Glory for Ever. Annie Armstrong Home Mission offering will be taken at the close of each service.

Spring Mills

Spring Mills, Feb. 28.- Mrs. Bertha Harris, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsay, of Lynchburg visited in the home of Mrs. Annie P. Hendrick on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford, son-Jimmy and Jackie Ford and Mrs. Carrie Ford called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nash Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tibbs and Jim Tibbs visited Mrs. Fannie Harvey Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harvey's sister, Mrs. Wesley Tweedy visited in the same home recently.

Mrs. Emma Miles and friends, of Timberlake Road visited in the Rosser home recently.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Owen were Mr. and Mrs. Ed West and children, of Lynchburg and Mr. and Mrs. James Ford and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Owen visited her home people in Pittsylvania on Sunday.

Circle No. 1 of the Union Hill W. M. S. met Sunday after Sunday School with an attendance of 20. Mrs. Carrie Ford presided. Program leader was Mrs. Susie Carwile. Devotional was conducted by Mrs. Margaret Tibbs. Among those taking part on the program were Mrs. Noel Creys, Mrs. Sue Rowls, Mrs. N. S. Joy and Mrs. Ford.

UNION HILL BAPTIST

Preaching Sunday night by the pastor, Rev. L. P. Brown.

B. T. U. at 6:30 P. M. Sunday. Everyone invited to attend.

PRAYER MEETING

Prayer Meeting at Spout Spring Baptist Church each Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

Red Cross Thanks Helpers

Miss Dorothy Potter, Assistant Center Administrator, said in a recent letter to local American Red Cross officials, "On behalf of myself and the staff I want to thank you and your workers for a splendid Bloodmobile operation February 17. I was truly 'busting my buttons,' I was so proud of the whole group."

That this first bloodmobile visit to Appomattox was a real success was due to the excellent functioning of Blood Recruits under the capable direction of R. D. Robinson, Recruitment Chairman; to Mrs. R. G. Jamakin, Publicity Chairman; to Calvin Robinson, radio speaker; to Mrs. J. C. Caldwell, Volunteer Services Chairman; to J. C. Caldwell, who gave free-verse publicity; to Mrs. A. A. Balcock and others who managed so well the canteen feature of the Bloodmobile; to Mrs. H. A. Gurley, Hospital representative; to Mrs. Ella Anderson, Club Woman Representative; to Prof. H. E. Kerr, Committee Member; to Mrs. Garland Holt, Mrs. Alice Falks, Mrs. Ivey Holland, Mrs. R. D. Robinson, Mrs. C. T. Moses, Jr., and Mrs. J. C. Caldwell, filing and mailing committee and to Judge Joel Flood, Public Official Representative, and to the many persons in all parts of the county who helped in obtaining blood donors. Such splendid functioning of all committees made easy the responsibility resting upon the County chairman. He is most sincerely grateful to one and all."

(Added name to above list: J. C. Hudgins, Bloodmobile secretary).

—Rev. R. Carl Maxwell,

Appomattox County Chapter

Blood Program Chairman.

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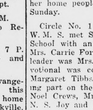

Father Darkleaf's Column

by chr

The late beloved Calvin Coolidge once asked about the repayment of money European nations had owed from Uncle Sam. The question of ownership was very real to him and so we answered, well, they used the money, didn't they? Once owner, always an owner, he felt, bought of that when reading of famous Stone of Scone, borrowed from Bonny Scotland, and now appeared from the Battle Abbey England. There is a verse in The Last Minstrel which must come to the mind of many a It reads:

of brown health and shaggy mountain and of flood, of my sires! What mortal hand er untie the filial bond mits me to that rugged strand! ward I borrowed the 336 pound in the year 1296. And it was returned to Scotland. Person- shall not be upset if the Scots ack this historic treasure.

s says the flying saucer is a ing. In Alice in Wonderland, Mad Hatter said to Alice:

want to say a word of appreciation to those of you who write letters about this column, the paper, or about my two weekly programs. They keep me going. I don't get around to answering all of the letters and it reaches time to furnish listeners with portions of radio scripts, I read every line written to me in a while someone finds it. That helps too. Keeps my feet on the ground—for I claim to have roots. I like to know what think about things: about Gen. Wainwer for President, about the tools, about taxes, about Virginia Appomattox and the world in eral. So, thanks for your letters.

a recent trip to his home town ed across the street, and remark- there is the place where I went Sunday School. And in that Sun- School class I first met a little ed, golden haired girl. She my first sweetheart. Her eyes still blue. Her hair is no longer en. But she is still my sweet- t. And so, take it or leave it, President is a human being, and bles those who can treasure interest memories.

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demonstration for each home nstration club meeting this week be window treatment.

day, March 12.- The Bethany e Demonstration Club meets at M. with Mrs. Hunter Martin. day, March 14.- The Susan Haar b meets at 2 P. M. with Mrs. Nash.

The demonstration be given by Mrs. Nash and Miss Chilton.

Thursday, March 15.- The Liberty pel Home Demonstration Club meet at 10:30 A. M. with Mrs. T. Childress. The demonstration community meals will be given Mrs. Preston Coleman and Mrs. Thornhill will give the demonstration on window treatment.

Friday, March 16.- The Oakville me Demonstration Club will meet 2 P. M. with Mrs. Margaret Hillsman. The demonstration will be given Mrs. Margaret Hillsman and Mrs. ley Moore.

Four million ceiling voted on U. military.

ADOPT BUDGET

Buckingham County Board of Supervisors have adopted a tentative dget of $418,372.64. Of this total $6,783.32 is for schools.

Baptist planning simultaneous re- al services.

WILD FLOWER COLOR PRINTS ON DISPLAY

An exhibit of 30 color prints of native American wild flowers, by Mary Vaux Walcott went on display March 2 in the cafeteria of Appomattox High School, under the sponsorship of the art committee of the P.-T. A. Miss Flora Belle Williams is chairman of the committee, and states that the display may be seen from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., through March 15.

The exhibit is a loan from the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond.

Mrs. Walcott first began sketching wild flowers during childhood, although it was not until many years later that a botonist friend at Glacier British Columbia, who suggested that she portray on paper the beauty of the rare and perishable Alpine flower, that she began seriously her series of flower sketches.

During more than a dozen years while traveling with her geologist husband in the Canadian Rockies, Mrs. Walcox has studied the flora native to that section with the aim of prescrving in color the specimens. Her sketches of eastern plants were made from specimens collected and from those given her by friends.

The public is invited to see this exhibit of flower prints.

Pamplin Plays In Tournament

The boys basketball team of the Pamplin High School is in Lexington to play in a school championship tournament. Pamplin will play West Point tonight.

WINTER COST ON COUNTY ROADS

The winter of 1950-51 was a costly one for Virginia highways, according to preliminary reports by engineers of the State Highway Department.

While the depth of snow that fell during the winter has been relatively light, frequent ice and sleet storms coated highways in many sections, caused deep freezes in the ground, and required a heavy use of chemicals and abrasives

Hundreds of carloads of sand and thousands of tons of calcium and sodium chlorides have been used in an attept to keep pavements clear.

Ice is more difficult and costly to fight than is the average snow storm, according to road engineers. Snow can be scraped or blown off, but ice clings tenaciously to pavements and must be covered with abrasives and gradually melted with chemicals.

Snow, ice and damage caused by deep freezes and thaws were reported heaviest in the mountains and northern Virginia. Eastern Virginia suffered relatively light damage.

Ice and snow removal in Appomattox County has cost a total of $5,207 to date, Highway Resident Engineer Wm. C. Poston reported.

4-H CLUB SCHEDULE

Schedule of 4-H Club meetings:

Thursday, March 8, Pamplin 4-H and Evergreen 4-H Clubs meet.

Tuesday, March 13.- Oakville 4-H Club, 9 A. M. at the school. Vera 4-H Club, 10:45 A. M., at school. Appomattox Junior 4-H Club, 1:22 P. M. at the school auditorium. Appomattox Senior 4-H Club, 2:10 P. M., school auditorium.

Wednesday, March 14.- The Spout Spring 4-H Club, 9:00 A. M. at the school. Stonewall 4-H Club, 10:30 A. M., at the school.

FFA TEAM LOSES

The F. F. A. boys basketball team composed of Leon Paulette, James Slagle, Calvin Tanner, Billy Johnston, Wade Drinkard, Wayerly Payne Dan Carson and Clarence White made a good showing Tuesday at Brookville in an F. F. A. tournament. The Appomattox team defeated Rustburg 30 to 9, and won from Concord 21 to 19, only to lose to New London 31 to 28.

Farm work being delayed by wet weather.

Ezzard Charles wins decision over Walcott in 15 rounds.

TOBACCO GROWERS MEET TONIGHT

The Farm Bureau will sponsor a meeting of dark tobacco growers at 8:00 o'clock at the Court House.

Dr. J. L. Maxton, Extension Agricultural Economist, of V. P. I., will speak on the current tobacco situation. T. B. Hall and C. T. Moses will also address the gathering, to which all interested are invited.

Town Has New Truck

The Town of Appomattox has a new dump truck, purchased last Friday. It replaces a truck used for eleven year and will be used by the street and garbage removal department.

Lions Club Ladies Night

The Appomattox Lions Club will have a ladies night banquet tonight at seven o'clock at the high school cafeteria. Several visiting speakers have been invited.

LOCAL CHOIR TO SING AT CHARLOTTESVILLE

The Carol Choir of the Liberty Baptist Church will sing at the University Baptist Church, Charlottesville, at the opening session of the state convention of the Women's Missionary Union, Tuesday evening, March 13, at 8:00 o'clock.

This choir is composed of 20 girls and was organized in the fall of 1949 with Miss Nancy Scott as director. Miss Scott is a graduate of music from Lynchburg College, and while in attendance there was a member of the touring choir.

Members are: Barbara Carter, Joyce McCormick, Alice Harvey, Mary Ellen Ramsey, Nina Barlow, Elizabeth Hanenkrat, Jackie Poston, Dorothea Coleman, Barbara Ann Johnson, Betty Dale Robinson, Nancy Franklin, Shirley Davis, Mary Trent, Ann Walker, Betty Jane Wingfield, Helen Mae Poe, Shirley Mitchell, Betty Ferguson, Carolyn Davis and Inez Hanenkrat. Others from whom we will attent: Dr. and Mrs. V. W. Sears, Mrs. J. C. Caldwell, Miss Beulah Ferrell, Raymond Jamerson Mrs. H. E. Kerr and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harwood, Jr.

FIRST HEART FUND DRIVE OVER

In the recent Heart Fund drive $111.88 was collected from the town of Appomattox. Of this amount the largest contribution from one source was a $25.00 donation by the newspaper canteen of the Appomattox Garment Company.

This money will be used to aid in the expense of a more intense study of the causes and cures of heart disease, which is reported to result in more fatalities each year than any other disease known.

PRICE CONTROLS INFORMATION ON

Detailed information on the government's price control program will henceforth be available at the office of the county clerk in each county seat, it was announced today by Acting Regional Director W. F. Bailey of the Office of Price Stabilization.

A letter has been sent by Mr. Bailey to county clerks in the four-state regional area, which embraces Virginia, Maryland, North Carolina, West Virginia and the District of Columbia, seeking the aid of county officials in making available to the residents of their communities information which will enable them to cooperate with the government's anti-inflation program.

"The effectiveness of the Government's price control program," Mr. Bailey's letter to the county clerk's stated, "will depend to a large extent on the timely distribution of information and regulations to the public."

Russia wants the Trieste issue on agenda of ministers.

Iran Premier killed.

Appeal System Explained By Draft Board

The State Appeal Board has the power to reclassify a registrant in cases appealed to it and which warrant such reclassification, it was stated this week by State Headquarters for Selective Service.

A registrant has a right to appeal when he is dissatisfied with the classification determined for him by his local board.

It is not necessary to go through a great deal of red tape or fancy writing to get a case appealed.

It consists merely of writing the local board a letter stating that an appeal is desired.

The appeal may be made by the registrant within ten days after the local board has notified him of his classification, but no further evidence can be presented to the appeal board other than that which was given to the local board for its consideration.

When an appeal is noted within the time limit, the local board must forward the registrant's file to the state appeal board. If, however, the registrant is in Class 1-A or 1-A-O, the registrant will first be ordered for armed forces physical examination before the cas is forwarded to the appeal board. In case the registrant is rejected for service in the armed forces, his case will not be forwarded, but the registrant will be reclassified into Class IV-F.

The employer or dependent of a registrant may also note an appeal if they had evidence on file with the local board at the time the registrant's classification was determined. They must make their notification of appeal in writing and within the ten day period just the same as the registrant. (The ten day limit can be waived under certain conditions.)

The government appeal agent (a local official of the Sele tive Service System associated with the local board) can also note an appeal and can do so anytime before a registrant is ordered to report for induction. If the normal ten day period allowed for appeal has expired, the registrant, his dependent, or employer (if the employer or dependent has the right to appeal) may take the case to the government appeal agent, who in turn will review the case and if an appeal is warranted, will note an appeal at anytime prior to the registrant's order to report for induction.

When the classification of a registrant has been determined by the state appeal board, the registrant and whoever noted the appeal will be notified of the classification determined and also the vote of the appeal board, which is made up of five members, one lawyer, one physician, one representative of industry, one of labor, and one of agriculture, who are recommended by the governor and appointed by the president.

If the appeal board's vote was unanimous, the decision is final and the case is closed until such time as new evidence is submitted to the local board. On the other hand, if there were as much as one dissenting vote, those who had the right of appeal to the appeal board will have the right of appeal to the president within ten days after notification of the state appeal board's decision. The decision of the president's appeal board is always final and closes the case unless new evidence is submitted to the local board.

No new evidence can be submitted to any appeal board, and no one can appear before either appeal board. All evidence must be submitted to, and all appearances made before the local board.

The appeal board is another democratic tool in the Selective Service System, set up to insure that a just and unbiased decision has been reached in the cases of citizens who believe, either correctly or incorrectly, that they have not been afforded every consideration due them.

SERVICE TO VETERANS

A. C. "Buck" Clement, Area Director, Division of War Veterans' Claims, is in Appomattox, at the court house, 10 A. M., on the second and fourth Tuesday's each month. He will gladly advise and assist any veteran or dependent in any matter with the government.

New building construction tops million in Staunton.

A. H. S. Ends Basketball Schedules

The Appomattox girls basketball team ended the season by losing to Bedford girls in the tournament at Gretna last Thursday night. The score was close all the way and it was only in the final minutes that Bedford went ahead to win with a 32-29 score. Barbara Johnson had 13 points, Beatrice Totty 13 and Virginia Chandler 1.

The A. H. S. ended the season with a record of 13 victories and 3 losses. The record is excellent in the light of the fact that they had practiced only about five times during the year and were usually up against teams having gymnasium facilities.

Scoring for the season:

Barbara Johnson, 367 points, an average of over 21 per game;

Beatrice Totty, 257 points;

Virginia Chandler, 40 points;

Nine Barlow, 35 points, and

Barbara Carter, 5 points.

There were three seniors on this year's team: Barbara Johnson, Helen Mae Poe and Barbara Carter, captain.

A. H. S. boys will end their season by playing in the invitational tournament at Robert E. Lee Junior High School. The boys won 2 games while losing 15. They improved rapidly toward the close of the schedule, and Coach Gordon Bragg believes the boys could play any high school within their class on better than even terms provided they had a place to practice. The only senior on the team is James Slagle.

Bill Jamerson topped the scorers with 214 points, Leon Paulette had 102; Ray Wingfield, 91; J. T. Guill, 41; Earl Agee, 15; Henry Doss, 13; Carlton Thomas, 79; J. F. Harvey, 13; Jesse Rosser, 8; Teddy Mitchell, 5; O. Guill, 3; Calvin Tanner, 3; Billy Johnston, 2.

Red Cross Solicitation

Volunteer workers will canvass Appomattox during the period from Friday, March 9 to Tuesday, March 13, to solicit contributions for the annual Red Cross drive. The quota for the county is $1,600.

Curry Harvey is fund treasurer, and contributions may be given or mailed to him at the Bank of Appomattox.

H. E. Kerr is county chairman, and H. A. Gurney roll call leader.

The following statement has been made by Gen. George C. Marshall: "We face a grueling period of hard work, self-denial and danger. The times are unusual and so will be the effort we shall all be called upon to make. Of all the non-governmental agencies of the American people, the Red Cross will have to bear the heaviest burden."

Students Will Present Show Next Thursday

Students of Appomattox High School will present a variety vaudeville show at the school auditorium next Thursday at 8:00 P. M. The performance is for the purpose of raising funds for the athletic department. Admission will be 35 cents for adults and 20 cents for school pupils.

Among the program numbers:

Easter Parade, Betty Franklin and Bobby Chernault, and dancers.

"Somewhere Over the Rainbow," Ann Waller, with dancing by Mary Jane Cole.

Mendelsohn's "Spring Song," by Lois Wood, Sandra Wood, Peggy Cole, Ann Waller, Nina Barlow, Inez Hanenkrat, Barbara Ann Johnson.

"Rainbow Round My Shoulder," by Bobby Mitchell, with dancers.

String band, Evergreen boys with L. Paulette as pianist.

Liberty Carol Choir.

"Whisper.ng," Bobby Chernault and Micky Guill.

Record Total Contributed to March of Dimes

The March of Dimes campaign in Appomattox County for 1951 set an all time record.

Total contributions to date amount to $3,792.24.

This figure is more than three times the amount the county had raised in any one year before this. The gross receipts for 1950 amounted to $1,260.96. This amount was equivalent to a contribution of approximately 14 cents per capita. The above figures go to show that the per capita contribution for 1951 will be about 42 cents.

Every citizen of Appomattox County is to be commended for the splendid cooperative support of the 1951 March of Dimes to fight polio.

The largest source of contribution was through the churches of the county. This part of the drive was under the direction of C. W. Smith. The total contributed through the churches amounted to $1,111.27. Hebron Baptist Church of Stonewall led the list with the sum of $138.00. The next highest was Elon Baptist Church of Pamplin, with $100.00. Contributions were sent in by a total of thirty churches.

The Colored People of Appomattox County through the leadership of School Supervisor, Mozella Price, contributed a total of $383.53. These funds were raised largely through the negro schools and churches. This is by far the largest contribution ever realized from this source.

The school children of the county contributed a total of $348.50. This part of the county drive was directed by Mrs. Mildred Alvis. The Appomattox Elementary School led with $144.99.

J. C. Caldwell raised a total of $213.10 through collections taken at the Lee Theater.

A total of $114.00 was turned in through various organizations.

The annual benefit games' party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith, of Pamplin realized the remarkable sum of $100.50.

The above gifts account for all donations to date with the exception of $3.31 from miscellaneous sources. Credit is due Miss Laura McFadden, county campaign treasurer, for her faithful and accurate record of accounts.

Fifty per cent of the net amount raised in Appomattox County March of Dimes remains in the Appomattox County Polio Treasury. The other fifty per cent is sent to the National Foundation Office. Officers for this county are: G. B. Buchanan, county chairman; Mrs. Rachel Lawson, co-chairman; Mrs. Joel Flood, treasurer; T. DeWitt Evans, March of Dimes campaign director, and Miss Laura McFadden, campaign treasurer.

As of this date the National Office advanced Appomattox County the amount of $4,775.00 in September, 1950, and $52,25.00 in January, 1951.

In spite of the above advance of $10,000.00, there are still accounts on hand to be paid of approximately $6,500.00.

Therefore, but for the support and interest as shown by the people of Appomattox County, it would be impossible to raise the funds to combat polio.

Committees support Truman plan for troops to Europe.